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PRICE LIST  
OF  
**Gladiolus Bulbs**

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**A**S this is a time for conservation, we have decided to get out only a cheap list this fall. We have to put in practice the old saying: "Earn all you can, save all you can and give all you can," as the boys over there are in need of help, and we must do our bit.

We also wish to inform our customers that we have never raised a finer lot of bulbs than this season.

This list will practically be a duplicate of last year's list, so far as varieties are concerned.

Prices in this list are figured on a cash basis, and do not include postage nor express charges.

If you find any variety or varieties in this list, and want planting stock or bulblets, if you will give us name, size and number wanted, we will gladly quote prices on same.

# DESCRIPTIVE LIST OF NAMED VARIETIES

**GLORY.** (*Kunderdi.*) Pinkish cream. Large, open flower: fine markings; wavy or ruffled petals.

1	12	100	1000
\$ .05	\$ .75	\$ 3.00	

**CHICAGO WHITE.** (*Kunderdi*) White with fine penciling of bright carmine red. Best commercial white, as it is early and a good forcing variety. Good length of spike of open blooms; healthy plant and productive.

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**AMERICA.** Soft, light pink. Good.

.05	.25	1.50	
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**ARIZONA** (*Kunderdi.*) Very fine dark pink with dark maroon markings on lower petals. Tall spike of 4 to 6 open blossoms. Extra florist flower; medium to late bloomer. Cut spikes of fourteen buds October 24, from half-inch bulbs.

.10	.75	3.00	20.00
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**PINK BEAUTY.** Extra early. Pink, with long spike and stem.

.05	.40	2.00	
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**PRINCEPIN.** (*Kerchoff.*) Large open flower. Color red, with white blotch. Award of Merit at London and Haarlem.

.10	.75	3.00	
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**ESTELLA.** (*Kunderdi.*) One of the largest of gladioli. Wide open flower; color, dark pink with light flaked blotch: tall grower; mammoth in size and admired by all. A fine garden variety, and sells good on market.

.15	1.00	4.00	
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**BLOOD SPOT.** (*Kunderdi.*) Rank grower, tall spikes with two rows of open bloom. Color, dark mahogany with red splash on lower petals. Very vigorous.

.10	1.00	4.00	
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**X. Y. Z.** (*Kunderdi.*) Dark pink with stripes of dark red and brilliant red blotch edged with golden yellow. Spike full of open bloom at one time.

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**BRIGHT RED.** (*Kunderdi.*) Very brilliant, bright red ---that is red. Not very large, but fine seller as color always attracts attention. Fine for forcing; earlist red.

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**MRS. FRANCIS KING.** Tall spike of large open bloom of light red color.

.05	.25	1.50	
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**BARON HULOT.** Dark blue with light markings; tall spike. Best of blues.

.05	.50	2.00	
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**HALLEY.** Early, next to Pink Beauty. Fine, large open flower of bright salmon color. Good seller.

.05	.50	2.00	
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**PRIDE OF GOSHEN.** (*Kunderdi.*) Tall, rank grower. Fine large flower on good length of stem. Blossoms a little irregular on spike. Very attractive and ruffled. Color, salmon pink. Fine seller.

.15	1.25	8.00	
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**WHITE KING.** (**Kunderdi.**) Creamy white ruffled petals with heavy wine colored markings; not many blossoms open at a time, but is a very fine flower.

1	12	100	1000
\$ .10	\$1.00	\$ 6.00	

**RED AMARYLLIS.** (**Kunderdi.**) Dark red flower; large, and finest of its class. Took first at American Show at Boston, 1914, in class for red gladioli.

.20	2.00	
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**MYRTLE.** (**Kunderdi.**) Soft pink, shading lighter to the center. Awarded silver medal at Massachusetts Horticultural Meet, 1912. A sure leader.

.20	2.00	10.00
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**MRS. FRANK PENDLETON, Jr. (**Kunderdi.**)**

Very large open flower; color, light pink with dark-red blotch; very attractive. Tall, strong grower. Awarded first-class certificate at the Massachusetts Horticultural and American Gladiolus Societies.

.10	1.00	5.00
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**SUMMER BEAUTY. (NEW G. PINK.) (**Kunderdi.**)**

Fine bright pink with yellowish tint at base of flower; the very finest in color. Admired by all who see it.

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**YELLOW BIRD. (**Kunderdi.**)** A very pleasing shade of yellow, penciled with dark wine color on lower petals. Extra fine. Florists all like it.

.10	.75	3.00
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**MISS LUCILE. (**Kunderdi.**)** A very soft light shell pink of lavender shade; a most striking and beautiful color for florists' work, and an extra fine forcing variety, which adds to its value. Medium in height, with long spike of 6 to 8 wide open flowers at one time. Early.

.10	75	3.00
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**LARGE BUFF. (**Kunderdi.**)** Fine shade of soft buff, with rose colored pencilings. Every bloom sold this season, and that is what tells. Tall spike of 8 or 10 open blossoms at once.

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**RED CANNA. (**Kunderdi.**)** Brightest of crimson pink; wavy petals. One of the best in its class I ever saw.

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**GOV. HANLEY. (**Kunderdi.**)** Large, dark red; good spike and several blossoms open at a time. Good seller.

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**ROSE BUD. (**Kunderdi.**)** Extra fine, large, open, bell-shaped flower; good length of spike---6 to 8 open blossoms at a time. Color almost identical with America, only a shade brighter. One of the most beautiful flowers in our collection. Has broad, healthy foliage, and is a rank grower.

.15	1.50	5.00
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**IDA VAN. (**Kunderdi**)** Finest of all in its class. Color flaming pink, darker shade in center. Award of Merit at London, 1913.

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**1910 PINK. (**Kunderdi.**)** A bright early pink. Beautiful.

.10	.75	3.00
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**BEST VIOLET.** (*Kunderdi.*) Tall, straight stem and spike. Rich violet with lines over lower petals; 6 to 10 open blossoms at once. Sells well.

1	12	100	1000
\$ .10	\$ 1.00	\$ 4.00	\$25.00

**WHITE GLORY.** (*Kunderdi.*) A gorgeous pure white of exact size and type of Kunderdi Glory, with beautiful iris blue throat. Fine as a delicate Iris Grand.

.25	2.50
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**AZALEA.** (*Kunderdi.*) White ground color, very azalea-like flower and beautiful throat markings. A choice ruffled variety.

.20	2.00
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**IVORY.** (*Kunderdi.*) Ivory white with light markings in throat. Intensely ruffled. Medium height.

.20	2.00
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**WHITE IVORY.** (*Kunderdi.*) Like above, but taller. Snow-white ground with beautiful red blotches on lower petals, and still more intensely ruffled. Very extra.

.35	3.50
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**ORANGE GLORY.** (*Kunderdi.*) Of Glory type, grand orange color, with beautiful light throat. Very rich and striking color.

.50	5.00
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**CHERRY KING.** (*Kunderdi*) Bright, rich cherry color, deeper throat; very lilly-like flower, and beautiful.

.10	1.00
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**GIANT WHITE.** (*Kunderdi.*) An extra large white of great substance. Pure white with elegant slight markings on the lower petals.

.20	2.00
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**MARY FENNALL.** (*Kunderdi.*) A most beautiful lavender-pink; wide-open flowers, medium height, very attractive. New.

.15	.75	3.00
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**ETHEL.** (*Kunderdi.*) Very tall, long spike of open blooms at once, of beautiful, bright, verigated pink flowers with yellowish throat. Extra fine and always attracts attention.

.10	1.00	4.00
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**NIAGARA.** (*Banning.*) Large, well-opened blossoms of delightful cream color, with carmine splashing in the throat. Strong, erect spike.

.10	1.00	3.00
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**PANAMA.** (*Banning.*) A seedling of America, but of deeper pink and larger size. A long spike of large, well-arranged flowers. A grand variety.

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**MRS. JAMES LANCASHIRE.** (*Stewart.*) Large flowers, exquisite cream color shading to salmon pink, with carmine stripe on lower petals; but many blossoms have no blotch---a rare habit in gladioli. Early.

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**EUROPA.** Fine pure white, with 8 to 10 open blooms at a time. Extra fine.

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**MICHIGAN.** (**Stewart.**) Large, round blossoms of pinkish scarlet on a strong straight spike.

1	12	100	1000
.10	.75	3.00	

**BUZZ.** (**Burbank.**) Very large, scarlet, red, wide open flower, with large light yellow blotch. Fine.

.15	1.50
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**AZURE.** (**Stewart.**) Light blue carmine blotch and light cream on inside of petal,

.10	1.00
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**LOUISE.** New seedling, only twelve to a customer. Very large, wide open flower, 5 to 6 inches, finest lavender I have ever seen, with dark wine penciling. Extra fine, rank grower.

\$1.00	10.00
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**PINK PERFECTION.** Very large open flower, of fine light pink shade, good florist flowers.

.10	.75
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**WAR.** (**Groffs.**) Dark red, good strong plant.

.10	.75
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**PEACE.** (**Groffs.**) Fine large white, with wine throat, good foliage.

.10	75	3.00
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**CORUNNA.** (**Kunderdi.**) Very large spreading petals, with very large blotch in throat. Very showy.

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**GEO. W. MOULTON.** (**Kunderdi.**) Very large, tall spike, filled with dark wine colored flowers. Grand and showy.

.15	1.50
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**OPHIRE.** (**Stewart.**) Fine, large light flower, with bright carmine blotch. Fine and showy.

.10	1.00
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**WILLIE WIGMAN** Light, pinkish edge, with dark blotch in throat.

.10	1.00
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**MRS. DR. NORTON.** (**Kunderdi.**) Soft cream pink, with lighter throat of yellowish tint. Created great sensation at the American Gladioli Show for the last three years.

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**GOLDEN MEASURE.** (**Kellway's.**) Extra fine golden yellow. Pure. No markings. Large and massive. Has received awards wherever shown. Best yellow to date. \$4.00 each; Bulbets, 40c each; 1-2 to 3-4 inch, \$2.00 each.

**SCHWABIN.** Fine large flower or strong, straight spike. Extra fine.

.15	1.50
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**EMBOSSED YELLOW.** Light yellow, with dark throat, tall spike, many open at a time.

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**EDGAR.** My own. Light yellow, tall spike. Slightly ruffled. An extra fine flower and showy.

.15	1.50
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**SENTINEL.** (**Kunderdi**) Tall, strong plant, large, rose, pink with fine white penciling in throat. Extra showy. Choice.

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**LILLY WHITE.** (**Kunderdi.**) Pure white, fine florist flower. Early. Extra fine variety.

.50	5.00
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**1910 ROSE. (Kunderdi.)** Large, pure rose color of fine shade, narrow, central lines on lower petals, extra early.

1	12	100	1000
\$ .10	1.00	4.00	

**ROSE OF JULY. (Kellway's.)** Finest of rose pink, Extra early and large; had it bloom in 60 days. Large flower and very showy, grand and new.

.50	5.00
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**MR. W. E. FRYER. (Kunderdi.)** Fine, showy, orange, scarlet. Fine and choice.

.15	1.50	5.00
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**MANTERVILLE. (Kunderdi)** Fine, yellow, somewhat mottled, with pink. Very ruffled, grand, good flower.

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**PURPLE GLORY. (Kunderdi.)** Deepest velvety maroon. Red with very dark blotches. Beautifully ruffled, an extraordinary flower and extra large. Rank grower.

2.00	24.00
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**YOUELL'S FAVORITE.** Large flower and plant. Striking rose, lavender, pink, extra large and showy.

.20	2.00
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**MONGOLIAN. (Kunderdi.)** Fine, yellow, with good spike and several open flowers at a time.

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**K's ORANGE. (Kunderdi.)** A very fancy flower. Bright red with pure white blotch, broader at base and coming to a point on three lower petals, margined with brilliant purple; tall stem and spike. Very attractive. Received an award of merit at London show in 1915.

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**EL CAPITAN. (Kunderdi.)** Finest shade of sulphur yellow with penciling of bright carmine. Very tall with long spike of open bloom. Best of florist flower. Received an award of merit at London in 1915.

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**LOVLINESS.** Very large, rank grower, tall. Handsome spike with light creamy flowers. Very showy.

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**PINK PERFECTION.** Large charming pink. Extra fine.

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## PRIMULINUS TYPES

**SALMON BEAUTY. (Kunderdi.)** Very large flowering Primulinus. Deep salmon. Rich salmon yellow throat.

.35	3.50
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**NO. 3 PRIMULINUS.** Fine yellow with heavy penciling.

.05	.50	3.00
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**YELLOW KING.** A pure yellow Primulinus color, a little lighter than Golden Measure.

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**ANITA. (Kunderdi.)** An extra tall, richest canary yellow, deeper in throat.

1	12	100	1000
.20	\$ 2.00		

**ALICE TIPLADY. (Kunderdi.)** A very large, orange saffron colored flower, very choice

.35	3.50
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**GOLD DROP. (Kunderdi.)** A large pure deep yellow with red line on petals. Beautifully ruffled. Grand.

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**GOLDEN GATE (Kunderdi.)** Tall, vigorous, very showy yellow. Finely ruffled.

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**PRIMULINUS KING.** Pure bright yellow, no markings, very showy and beautiful.

.25	2.50
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**CAPELLA. (Kunderdi.)** Bright orange red, large and choice.

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**ALTIRE. (Kunderdi.)** Solid saffron, very tall grower, grand color.

.35	3.50
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**ANGOLA. (Kunderdi.)** A fine salmon pink.

.20	2.00
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**BUTTERFLY. (Kunderdi.)** Very strong and vigorous, large, pale salmon yellow. Ruffled.

.25	2.50
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**SWEET ORA. (Kunderdi.)** Tall, fine, soft yellow, rich pink line in throat.

.15	1.50
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## MIXTURES AND COLLECTIONS

**LATE SORTS. (Kunderdi.)** These new late blooming varieties are Mr. Kunderd's recent productions. They are very late, blooming when other varieties are out of bloom. Very rank, tall growers, often attaining a height of 6 feet or over, with spikes of bloom 3 feet long.

.25	2.50
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**GRAND COLLECTION FOR \$1.00.** One each of twenty named sorts, comprising a wide range of fine colors: White, Buff, Yellow, Sulphur, Purple, Violet, Blue, Red, Pink, Scarlet, Smoky or Mahogany, Creams and CW.

**PRIMULINUS HYBRIDS.** Mixture. 5c each or 50c per dozen.

### FINE FANCY MIX.

.05	.50	2.50	10.00
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25 bulbs of a kind at the 100 rate.

250 bulbs of a kind at the 1000 rate

Discounts on small sizes quoted on application.

## OUR RESPONSIBILITY

We use the greatest care to pack all bulbs true to name, but do not assume any responsibility for errors except to replace any bulbs that may prove untrue.

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## CULTURAL NOTES

Plant any time from April (provided, of course, that ground is in suitable condition) until the middle of June in any good garden soil, from 5 to 6 inches deep. Keep well cultivated and moist. Dig in October and dry the bulbs well before putting in cellar. Be sure to cut the tops off close to the bulbs when dug or lifted in the fall. Bulbs should, of course, be kept from freezing, and, on the other hand, should not be exposed to excessive heat, which would dry them out too much, nor to too much moisture, which might induce decay or start growth.

## FOR CUT FLOWERS

Cut spike when first bud opens, place in vase of water, and bloom will last several days. To keep blossoms fresh, remove all wilted ones and change water every day or two, cutting one-half inch off from stem whenever water is changed. Keeping in a cool place nights adds greatly to life of bloom.

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